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On the road again: Brett Gorell takes Bernard Lamb for a test drive in the MacKillop Family Services' new vehicle.
Picture: John Conway 69831

Donation puts youth driver program on road

BY ERIN PEARSON

DISADVANTAGED Geelong teens will receive driver training in a brand new Honda Civic thanks to a car dealer's generosity.

Rex Gorell Honda handed over a new vehicle to MacKillop Family Services on Wednesday for the community organisation to run its training program.

MacKillop out-of-home car service director Bernard Lamb said the donation would ensure vulnerable young people about to leave MacKillop's care had necessary skills to drive safely.

"We wanted our young people to have the same opportunities as young people who live in a family environment," Mr Lamb said.

"The support is invaluable. It allows our young people to gain the sorts of experiences that young people living with their families may get every day.

Mr Lamb said the Gorell donation would be the program's first "dedicated car".

"By learning how to drive and getting the important driving education they need, these young people will be able to not only be safe and responsible on the road but be able to engage with the community through

better access to employment and training opportunities.

"This donation is not just the keys to a car; it's the keys to great opportunities."

Car dealer Brett Gorell called the \$20,000 donation a sound investment in the safe future for many young drivers in Geelong.

"It's a critical time in the lives of these teens because they can easily go down the wrong way on our roads," he said.

"This is really going to teach them how to drive in a high quality, safe car, and we're proud to be apart of that."

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Mayor attacks project 'group'

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

COUNCIL and business groups have drawn battle lines over calls for a new body to oversee delivery of major projects in Geelong.

Mayor John Mitchell defended council's track record on managing major projects after Committee for Geelong called for an independent regional body to take over the role.

Committee chair Michael Betts called for a "single-purpose entity" to deliver major projects such as a Geelong convention centre.

But Cr Mitchell said council could point to a number of successfully completed projects.

"The Skilled Stadium upgrades are one example we have successfully project managed and the \$31 million Leisurelink facility is another," he said.

"We've lobbied long and hard on the library and heritage centre and are only awaiting one more funding announcement before that project gets underway.

"We're moving ahead with the Yarra St pier study as well as the

mineral springs and convention centre.

"All these projects need state and federal funding and it can be frustrating to lobby for funding and await the outcomes but once we get the funding we've shown that we can deliver. I believe the city has done as much as can be done."

Mr Betts said local government was "not the best model" for major project delivery.

"Bodies that have some independence from local government, which are focussed on bringing all elements of a project together, might be better than allowing total control through council mechanisms.

He believed progress on the proposed convention centre was "too slow".

"The City has a whole series of conflicting roles and responsibilities and it has to act as judge and jury on some issues," he said.

Geelong Chamber of Commerce's Bernadette Uzelac backed the committee.

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Entries, feedback pour in for Geelong 'icon'

ENTRIES and feedback for a competition to design a Geelong landmark have begun pouring in to the *Independent*, according to the paper's managing editor.

Tony Galpin said the Icon for Geelong competition had inspired both designs, alternative suggestions and "even some controversy" since opening on August 15.

"This really has the town talking," Mr Galpin said.

"Everyone has their own idea on what would be the ideal icon to promote Geelong and some of the suggestions and entries have plenty of merit.

"It's great to see the community taking such interest in this exciting initiative."

The Icon for Geelong competition carries a \$10,000 prize from Senia Lawyers for an artistic landmark design to enhance



Big ideas: A Deakin student's Icon for Geelong design suggests a giant waterfront bungy jump.

the city's international profile.

The competition closes on January, with the winner announced on March 11.

Deakin University's School of Architecture has posted a

competition design brief at deakin.edu.au/scitech/ab.

Grovedale's Keith Stonehouse wrote in with praise for the competition, saying "every city of note" has its own icon.

Mr Stonehouse suggested an indoor sports venue over multiple levels arranged in a triangular shape.

East Geelong's Toni Coppola recommended a look-out over Corio Bay using the mythological rainbow serpent.

"At night it would light up like a rainbow snake (with a) spotlight on the water."

Some feedback was critical of the competition, with one contribution saying "dumb dork-head fools" would waste money if they tried building an icon.

Deakin architecture students have submitted their own ideas as part of a university project at deakin.edu.au/scitech/ab/about/student-work/srd-t2-2011.php.

How to enter

Email: icon@geelongindependent.com.au

Post: Icon for Geelong, PO Box 407, Geelong, 3220.

Coal mine 'fears' for coastal forum

BY ERIN PEARSON

HEALTH fears have prompted a community group to call for a halt to expansion of Alcoa's Anglesea coal mine, according to a spokesperson.

Anglesea Air Action's Mike Lawrence said residents feared a lease renewal would allow a "dramatic expansion" of the open-cut mine, pushing it closer to homes.

The former Greens candidate said residents feared the mine

would release contaminants including arsenic, mercury, fluorine, cadmium, lead, selenium and zinc into the air through coal combustion.

Alcoa has sought a 50-year lease renewal and expansion approval from State Government.

"In light of the increasing costs of pollution, the broad-scale environmental repercussions and long-term community health risks, we're confident

coal mining is a thing of the past in our town," Mr Lawrence said.

A public forum this month would air the group's concerns.

"Environmental doctors" and other speakers would also attend, he said.

An Alcoa spokeswoman dismissed the claims.

She said the company had the right to mine the area for 100 years but had voluntarily elect-

ed to "modernise" the terms.

Claims of a "dramatic expansion" and health risks were also untrue, she said.

"Alcoa's coal mine and power station has been part of the Anglesea community for over 40 years and is safe for employees and the neighbouring community.

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Rape reports soaring 'as victims speak up'

BY ERIN PERSON

A 31.7 PER cent surge in reports of sex attacks show a new strategy encouraging victims to come forward is working, according to Geelong's top cop.

Geelong Police Inspector Chris Gawne said the new statistics showed more victims were now coming forward because of increased awareness they would be "handled with care".

"The increase is seen to be a positive because people now have confidence these matters will be dealt with efficiently and respectfully," Insp Gawne said.

"It's confirmation the city's new sexual assault department is working."

The *Independent* reported in July that police believed centralising of investigators and counsellors into a new team had eased trauma on victims who were previously transferred between departments.

Insp Gawne said many victims were also now coming forward about attacks from "some time ago".

The latest statistics also revealed that non-residential burglary offences had skyrocketed 62.2 per cent in 2010/2011.

Robbery was up 15.4 per cent, assault 5.2 per cent and theft of motor vehicles 42.1 per cent.

Insp Gawne said Geelong Police would continue its strategies to combat the crimes.

He said the numbers were "of concern".

"We're making the targeting of repeat offenders a priority; people who we know commit burglary as a way of life.

"We also want to cut down on youth crime.

"The community may not see an

overnight result but we'd like to think we can see the numbers starting to trend down in the coming months."

State Police Minister Peter Ryan said the Baillieu Government would honour its commitment to deploy an extra 1700 police and 940 new service officers before November, 2014.

"The Coalition Government is providing the largest single increase in frontline police numbers over one term of government in the history....so that families can feel safe again on the streets, on public transport and in their own homes."

in brief

Busy port

BOOMING harvests after drought-breaking rains have created an economic and jobs windfall for Port of Geelong, according to State Government.

Ports Minister Denis Naphine said a surge in grain exports had provided a 34 per cent increase in trade through the port, generating the equivalent of 168 extra jobs and millions of dollars in economic activity.

Painting won

Geelong Gallery has paid \$230,000 to win a "fierce" bidding war for an Arthur Streeton painting depicting a coastal view at Lorne, according to the gallery's director.

Geoffrey Edwards said *Ocean Blue, Lorne*, was the most famous of five paintings the iconic Australian artist produced during a family visit to Lorne in 1921.

Volunteers call

GEELONG'S Meals on Wheels program needs volunteers to help feed elderly residents around the municipality, according to a councillor.

Kylie Fisher said volunteers for the service could choose to work two hours at a time on a weekly, fortnightly or monthly basis.

Pacing here

AUSTRALIA'S "most influential" standard-bred sales company for harness racing horses has moved to Geelong.

Geelong Harness Racing Club called Australian Pacing Gold's move from Melbourne to Corio's Beckley Park a "vote of confidence".

GPAC 'best'

GEELONG Performing Arts Centre has won a national award as "best presenter" in its industry.

Australian Performing Arts Centres Association said the Geelong centre earned the 2011 Drovers Award for "providing world-class" entertainment.



For the koalas: Fletcher Callahan visits senior keeper Judy O'Brien at Jirrahlinga to hand over his fundraiser proceeds. Picture: Emily Lane 69773

Fletcher's Lego fundraiser helps rebuild sanctuary

BY TOM BENNETT

HE'S EIGHT years old, loves animals and, according to those who know him, has a heart of gold.

Barwon Heads schoolboy Fletcher Callahan exhibited "maturity beyond his years" in raising money to help rebuild Jirrahlinga Koala and Wildlife Sanctuary's koala hospital.

Fire destroyed the hospital and its veterinary facilities seven weeks ago.

Fletcher, a grade four student, was

upset when he read about the blaze on the internet.

He wrote an impassioned letter to his teachers, asking for Barwon Heads Primary to support the restoration process.

He suggested a Lego exhibition featuring the creations of both staff and students, with a charge for admittance.

The school council agreed, with Fletcher's event raising \$468 for Jirrahlinga's rebuilding project.

Fletcher said he was delighted the school adopted his idea.

"I was very proud and received lots of help from my classmates.

"I love animals, especially the koalas, so it was good that we could do something to help."

Principal Darren Roskosch was impressed with his young student's attitude and energy.

"Fletcher showed awareness, social concern and an ability to think of others," Mr Roskosch said.

"He also exhibited great initiative in identifying a problem and then coming up with the solution."

Jirrahlinga founder and codirector Tehree Gordon praised Fletcher.

"I was touched emotionally by his care and concern for animals," she said.

"Because of that I have decided to sponsor a special award to the most environmentally aware student at Barwon Heads Primary for the next five years."

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Disabled advocate takeover

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

A SHEPPARTON takeover of Geelong's disability advocacy service has "shocked and surprised" members, according to a spokesperson.

Barwon disAbility Resource Council chair Tina Gulino said her organisation was concerned the takeover might disadvantage people with disabilities.

Disability Rights and Advocacy Service (DRAS) transferred its operations to Regional Information and Advocacy Council (RIAC) on July 1.

"Neither RIAC nor DRAS had discussions with us or other advocacy services in the region," Ms Gulino said.

"We were not informed of the takeover despite having a partnership agreement."

Ms Gulino said RIAC had taken over DRAS funds and funding contracts worth an estimated \$100,000, she said.

"The disability advocacy sector has worked hard to forge partnerships and networks to ultimately benefit clients. Inherent in these partnerships and networks is co-operation, transparency and openness."

"The two local organisations were working together harmoniously for the benefit of our local community."

DRAS board chair Duncan Morris said the organisation would not have survived independently.

"Competition for funding in the sector is strong, so the board decided the better option was to discuss merging."

Mr Morris said he was unaware the takeover had caused concern within the sector.

"DRAS is being liquidated and its funds will be rolled over to RIAC to be used in the Geelong area. I'm just tidying up and not involved in any operational issues."



Investment: Damian Drum launches the Hit Geelong campaign. Picture: Tommy Ritchie 69656

New on-line campaign set to Hit up investors

BY TOM BENNETT

CITY OF Greater Geelong is renewing its push to attract business and industry to the region.

The City has joined forces with State Government to fund Hit Geelong, an on-line campaign to attract investment.

Councillor Rod Macdonald, who holds council's economic development portfolio, said \$151,000 initiative sought a "new generation" of investors.

"We'll completely freshen up our digital presence with an upgraded interactive website and the use of social media."

We want our online presence to be significantly impactful and inspirational in its appeal to potential investors."

The Government's parliamentary secretary for regional development, Damien Drum, said the Hit Geelong website would provide compelling information for investing in the city.

The campaign would attract a vast national and international audience of potential investors as part of a Government push for regional development, he said.

"We remain committed to creating new opportunities for economic growth."

Project body bid slammed

From page 1

Ms Uzelac said slow progress on major projects in the city had been "raised many times" in recent years.

"To deliver projects of the magnitude of the convention centre and a vision for the city needs a separate body. We don't have the delivery mechanism to make it happen."

Elaine Carbines, the chief of regional councils alliance body G21, backed council to deliver major projects.

"So much has been achieved across the region under the current system, including the ring road, the Princes Highway duplication, Avalon, Armstrong Creek and the regional rail link," she said.



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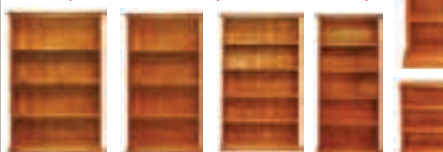


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City activities 'to keep seniors busy'

BY CHELSEA KENNEALLY

AN ANNUAL festival next month will give seniors plenty to do, according to councillor Kylie Fisher.

Cr Fisher said Geelong Seniors Festival would offer more than 90 events for free or little cost.

Victoria's biggest senior festival would be a great chance for seniors to discover activities available to them within their community, she said.

Festival activities would include workshops, dances, concerts and tours.

The adventurous could try sailing, while traditional afternoon tea would be available for other festival patrons.

Cr Fisher, who holds council's



**City of Greater Geelong's
Kylie Fisher**

community development portfolio, said the Victorian Seniors Festival ran for a week but Geelong's went for a month. Last year more than 7000 people attended 80 festival events

throughout the region, she said.

"The feedback from 2010 was overwhelmingly positive - 94 per cent of survey respondents said their participation in the festival as a positive experience, with 96 per cent saying they were planning on coming back next year.

"It's a great way to get active, keep your body and mind healthy and to make new friends. This is what we are aiming to achieve."

Cr Fisher said organisers hoped the activities would encourage house-bound seniors "to get out of their house and have some fun".

The festival program would be available at council customer service centres throughout the municipality, she said.

Wind jobs loss claim rejected

BY TOM BENNETT

STATE Government has rejected claims new wind farm legislation will cost Geelong an economic windfall.

Federal Labor MP for Corangamite Darren Cheeseman said 1100 jobs and almost \$3 billion in investment were at risk.

Ten major wind farm developments within 150kms of Geelong would be lost to the state, he warned.

But state Planning Minister Matthew Guy said he was unaware of any plans to cancel wind farm projects.

The state's new legislation was part of a long-standing coalition policy to give residents control

over wind farm development, he said.

"We're committed to giving local communities a key role in deciding where wind farms will be situated and restoring fairness and certainty to the planning process.

"It's important that while wind energy develops it does not do so to the detriment of rural and regional Victorians."

Under the new legislation landowners will have the power of veto over the construction of wind towers within 2km of their homes and 5km of a town.

Mr Cheeseman said the laws sound the death knell of many proposed wind farm projects.

The Government had "blown

away" construction jobs that would have been a "brilliant cushion" for the construction industry in times ahead.

"It's an unbelievably stupid decision, particularly as it's based around extremist claims of anti-wind energy campaigners," Mr Cheeseman said.

"Not only are jobs being thrown away, we also lose the opportunity of generating more than 1200 megawatts of clean energy, which (would) reduce our reliance on brown coal."

The *Independent* reported earlier this year that Baillieu Government policy to limit development of wind farms in coastal areas had stopped plans for a project near Torquay.

‘Millions in fares lost’

Geelong line's 225,000 cheats

BY ERIN PEARSON

AS MANY as 225,000 V/Line passengers on the Geelong line are flouting ticketing laws each year, according to State Transport Minister Terry Mulder.

The figure means V/Line was losing up to \$2.13 million in ticket revenue based on estimates with on-peak, one-way fares at \$9.50.

Mr Mulder said the Baillieu Government was taking action to reduce fare evasion after discovering that fare evasion was running between two and six per cent between Marshall and Southern Cross stations.

Mr Mulder, who released the figures to the *Independent* this week, said about 3.77 million passengers, up 8.6 per cent on the previous year, used a single trip on the Geelong line in 2010/2011.

Geelong remained V/Line's busiest commuter belt line, he said.

"Around 94 per cent of V/Line's Geelong line passengers did the right thing in 2010/2011 and bought a ticket," Mr Mulder said.

"The small minority on V/Line who refuse to use a fare, be warned – both conductors and V/Line's authorised officers are ever-vigilant because the majority of regular travellers know that fare evaders are ripping the community off."

"Fare evasion costs the transport network some \$80 million a year, which is money that would be reinvested into the system, so



Off the rails: Transport Minister Terry Mulder.

Picture: Stewart Chambers 69469

those who fail to pay their way are ripping off all public transport users."

Mr Mulder said between January 1 and August 28 this year 824 passengers were fined for travelling without a ticket on V/Line services across the state.

He said 571 V/Line passengers were fined for travelling on concession-discounted fares without evidence, 156 for liquor-related offences, 99 for feet-on-seat infringements and 24 for smoking aboard a train.

Public Transport Users Association Geelong convener

Paul Westcott said the numbers were "concerning" but feared they might be inaccurate.

"How can they tell these numbers, seeing the only real check on tickets are conductors and they're selling tickets as well?" Mr Westcott said.

"There are ways around the system but it's not that easy."

"On busy crowded services conductors may not be able to get to every passenger and can't always check concessions consistently, so if they're not doing that I'm a bit bemused at how they can come up with these figures."

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PUBLIC MEETINGS

NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETING

The next Meeting of the Greater Geelong City Council will be held at the Council Conference and Reception Centre, City Hall, Little Malop Street, Geelong on Tuesday 13 September commencing at 7.00pm.

Details of issues to be considered will be available on the City's website www.geelongaustralia.com.au

The meeting is open to the public.

GEELONG MAJOR EVENTS MEETING

The next meeting of Geelong Major Events will be held on Monday 19 September 2011 at 4.00pm at the Council Conference and Reception Centre, City Hall, Little Malop Street, Geelong.

This meeting is open to the public.

The Geelong Major Events committee invites questions from the public regarding the future strategic direction of Geelong Major Events and a current review of the funding structure of Geelong Major Events.

CENTRAL GEELONG MARKETING COMMITTEE MEETING

The next meeting of the Central Geelong Marketing Committee will be held on Tuesday 20 September 2011 at 7.30am at the Central Geelong Marketing Office, 17 Gheringhap Street, Geelong.

This meeting is open to the public.



PUBLIC NOTICES

FREE BODY IMAGE INFORMATION SESSIONS

WEDNESDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2011 - 11.15AM TO 12.30PM
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL, 30 GHERINGHAP STREET, GEELONG

Eating Disorder Victoria, the City of Greater Geelong and Barwon Health presents a **FREE** community awareness information session titled ***What happens when you don't love your body? How families and friends can help.***

Presented by **Dr Naomi Crafti** BBS(Hons) DPsych (Counselling) MAPS, this presentation will cover:

- What is body image and what are the risks of negative body image?
- Contributors to negative body image.
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- Bullying and weightism.
- What to say and how to help.
- Tips to reduce the risks of developing eating disorders.
- How Eating Disorder Victoria can help.

Bookings are essential. To book go to www.eatingdisorder.org.au/events or call 9885 6563.

This event is supported by the Lord Mayor's Charitable Foundation.

ST LEONARDS HERITAGE TRAIL SIGNAGE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

The City is seeking Expressions of Interest from suitably qualified designers and artists interested in designing a suite of signs for the St Leonards Heritage Trail.

The signs are for permanent display and will replace the temporary signs which are currently displayed during the St Leonard Festival.

Interest is sought from practitioners who are able to provide design and documentation to support the fabrication and installation of the signs. The final design documentation for the signage will be used by the City to source funding to realise the project.

A project brief and accompanying documents detailing requirements for the EOI can be found at www.geelongaustralia.com.au/

Expressions of Interest are due by **5.00pm 16 September 2011.**

For further enquiries contact David Fitzsimmons, Public Art Officer on 5272 4704 or email dfitzsimmons@geelongcity.vic.gov.au



SUSTAINABLE HOUSE DAY 2011

Some of Geelong's most sustainable homes and edible gardens will be on display on Sunday 11 September.

The event is free of charge and will provide community members with the opportunity to learn from experts in sustainable house design and visit local homes that display sustainable design features.

The event is organised by the Geelong Sustainability Group in cooperation with Geelong Organic Gardeners and Geelong's Transition Towns and is proudly sponsored by the City of Greater Geelong.

More information about houses and gardens is available at:

- www.geelongsustainability.org.au
- www.geelongaustralia.com.au
- www.sustainablehouseday.com

GEELONG SENIORS FESTIVAL PROGRAM - OUT NOW

Pick up your copy of the 2011 Geelong Seniors Festival Program of Events at your local City of Greater Geelong Customer Service Centre, call us on 5272 5272 or download it at www.geelongaustralia.com.au



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CENTRAL GEELONG FARMERS MARKET

TEMPORARY CHANGED TRAFFIC CONDITIONS
SATURDAY 10 SEPTEMBER 2011

To ensure this event is run safely, a road will be closed temporarily. Little Malop Street, between Union and Moorabool Streets will be closed from 7.00am to 2.00pm. Access for emergency vehicles and deliveries will be maintained at all times.



HAVE YOUR SAY

NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMIT

The land affected by the application is located at:
40 Wharf Road, Corio

The application is for a permit to:
Buildings and works associated with the construction of two bulk storage liquid tanks for liquid coal tar pitch.

The applicant for the permit is: Terminals Pty Ltd

The application reference number is: 875/2011

You may look at the application and any documents that support the application at:

- **Corio Customer Service Centre - Corio Shopping Centre Shop 4k 83a Purnell Road** Monday to Friday 9.00am to 5.00pm
- **Myers Street Customer Service Centre - 131 Myers Street, Geelong** Monday to Friday 8.00am to 5.00pm
- **www.geelongaustralia.com.au/residents/planning/advertising.aspx**

The Responsible Authority will not decide on the application before **17 September 2011.**

The application can be viewed during office hours and is free of charge. Any person who may be affected by the granting of the permit may object or make other submissions to the Responsible Authority, City of Greater Geelong, PO Box 104, Geelong 3220. If after viewing the file you wish to discuss the application further please contact the Statutory Planning department on 5272 4456.

An objection must:

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Please be aware that copies of objections/submissions received may be made available to any person for the purpose of consideration as part of the planning process in accordance with the Planning and Environment Act, 1987. Personal information will be used solely by Council in accordance with the Planning and Environment Act, 1987.

WANT A SAY IN WHAT GOES ON AROUND THE CITY OF GREATER GEELONG?

Visit www.geelongaustralia.com.au/council/yoursay/

NEWCOMB - WHITTINGTON DRAINAGE / FLOOD STUDY DRAFT REPORT

Parts of Newcomb and Whittington are known to experience frequent and serious flooding related to the stormwater drainage system.

The City has engaged specialist engineering consultants to undertake the Newcomb - Whittington Drainage / Flood Study.

The study is utilising computer modelling to identify properties that are affected by a 'once in one hundred year' flood.

The City is seeking public comment on the Draft Report of the Newcomb - Whittington Drainage / Flood Study.

The Draft Report and Provisional Flood Extent Map are on exhibition for public comment until **16 September 2011.**

Copies may be viewed at:

- **City Hall - 30 Gheringhap Street, Geelong** Monday to Friday 8.00am to 5.00pm
- **Newcomb Library, corner Wilsons Road and Bellarine Highway, Newcomb** Monday, Tuesday Thursday, Friday 10.00am to 5.30pm, Wednesday 10.00am to 8.00pm, Saturday 9.30am to 12.00noon

The Executive Summary of the Draft Report can be viewed on our website www.geelongaustralia.com.au/council/yoursay

Written enquires or comments may be submitted until 23 September 2011 to Manager Engineering Services, City of Greater Geelong, PO Box 104, Geelong VIC 3220

For further information contact Richard Wojnarowski on 5272 4829.

PORTARLINGTON RECREATION RESERVE AND ST LEONARDS LAKE / CHARLES MCCARTHY RESERVE MASTER PLANS

DRAFT MASTER PLANS

The City of Greater Geelong is developing Master Plans for both Portarlington Recreation Reserve and St Leonards Lake/Charles McCarthy Reserve.

These Master Plan documents will aim to identify development opportunities for these reserves to support the future activities of existing users as well as the wider community.

These draft Master Plan documents are currently on display for public consideration and comment.

Closing date for written submissions is **Monday 19 September 2011.**

Feedback can be submitted to Stephen Rodwell, Recreation Liaison Officer, City of Greater Geelong, PO Box 104, Geelong VIC 3220.

Copies of the draft documents and feedback forms are available for viewing at the following locations:

- **Bellarine Peninsula Community Bank (Bendigo Bank) - 44 Newcombe Street, Portarlington** Monday to Thursday 9.30am to 4.00pm, Friday 9.30am to 5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am to 12.00noon
- **Ocean Grove Customer Service Centre - The Grove Centre 66-70 The Avenue** Monday to Friday 9.00am to 5.00pm
- **City Hall - 30 Gheringhap Street, Geelong** Monday to Friday 8.00am to 5.00pm
- **City's website www.geelongaustralia.com.au**

For further information contact Stephen Rodwell on 5272 4638 or srodwell@geelongcity.vic.gov.au

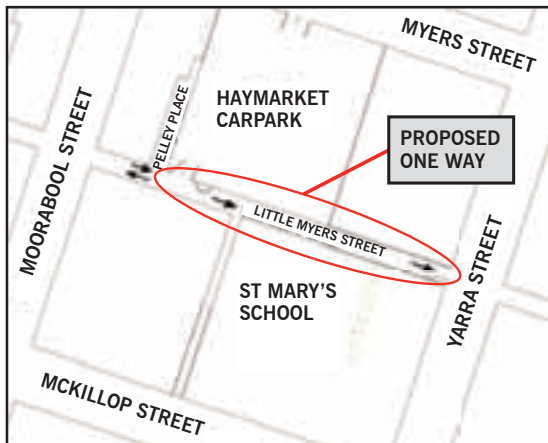
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In response to traffic safety issues we will be trialling a one-way traffic system on Lt Myers Street, heading eastbound between Haymarket car park exit and Yarra Street, Geelong.

Lt Myers Street is a narrow road that struggles to accommodate two-way traffic plus on-road parking.

St Marys Primary School is located on Lt Myers Street and the over-crowded road presents a safety issue to students going to and from school.

Preparation works will be undertaken on Lt Myers Street during spring school holidays. The three month trial period will begin once works are complete.

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- Geelong Historical Society
- Bellarine Historical Society
- James Harrison Centre

Caption: Adolphus Holden, founder of Holden Bros Circus, with one of the ponies used in his circus show. Adolphus' story is just one of many colourful Geelong stories featured in this exhibition. Photo courtesy of Bellarine Historical Society.

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First call for help on respite project

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

THE REGION'S peak disability service has launched its first public appeal, according to Karingal chief Daryl Starkey.

Mr Starkey said the Melaluka respite accommodation project at Leopold needed contributions worth \$1.5 million.

The project would allow Karingal to provide 2500 nights of respite accommodation annually for up to 300 clients, Mr Starkey said.

The respite facility would mostly service people with multiple sclerosis or other disabilities and their families.

"This is the first time in Karingal's 60-year history of community service that the Geelong community is being asked to help realise a project," Mr Starkey said.

"There is a significant unmet demand for residential respite and day support accommodation in the Geelong region.

"Respite gives individuals and their families an often critically needed break from their duties as a carer."

Mr Starkey said the project would refurbish and extend a



Big target: MS fundraiser Kevin Downey, sufferer Bree-Arne Chamley and Karingal chief executive officer Daryl Starkey with the Melaluka project plans.

Picture: Tommy Ritchie 69425

two-bedroom dwelling that Karingal had acquired in Melaluka Rd.

"Melaluka is in an ideal location to serve the needs of Geelong and the Bellarine Peninsula. It's only a short trip

to Gateway Shopping Plaza and it's close to public transport, taxis and Leopold Memorial Park.

"We hope people get behind this community project either through a financial donation or

through support with building materials, goods and even trade services."

Mr Starkey said more information about Karingal's Melaluka project and how to help was available by phoning Karingal Foundation on 5249 8919 or visiting karingal.org.au and clicking on the site's get involved tab.

The *Independent* has agreed to support the project with promotion in the region's highest-circulating newspaper.

Managing editor Tony Galpin said the Melaluka project was a worthy cause.

"As the region's largest not-for-profit organisation, Karingal provides an invaluable service to the community through support for people with disabilities and their families," Mr Galpin said.

"The Melaluka project will benefit: provide invaluable respite for hundreds of local families each year, so I urge the community to throw its support behind this important project.

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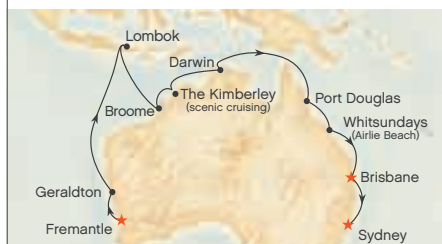
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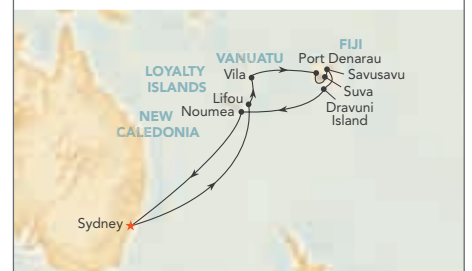
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Baptismal font 'water feature' Church's cafe plans opposed

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

REDEVELOPMENT plans threaten the "significance" of an historic church in Geelong, according to the National Trust.

Geelong branch spokesperson Jennifer Bantow called the 1865 Mt Zion Particular Baptist Church in Lt Rylie St an important building.

But the redevelopment proposed to demolish part of the church's eastern wall and add a rear extension, she said.

Heritage Victoria granted a permit for the development even though the church was listed on the state's heritage register.

Mrs Bantow said the church deserved protection.

"There are not many buildings still around from such an early date and as intact as this," she said.

"I can't believe it received a permit for such extensive development."

"There's no problem with changing the use to a cafe because that's often a good use of a historic building but the building can still be conserved and adapted to that use while respecting its historical significance."

"This plan is in essence ripping off two sides of the building with development that is extremely inappropriate and unsympathetic to historical significance of the building."

Mrs Bantow said the National Trust would seek permission to object to the plans in a bid for an improved design.



Holy site: Jennifer Bantow at the church earmarked for redevelopment.
Picture: John Conway 69781

Plans submitted to council propose a cafe with 46 seats indoors, 18 outdoors and 16 "alfresco".

The rear extension includes a kitchen, storerooms, office and toilets. The redevelopment would turn a former baptismal font into a water feature.

The permit conditions include the engagement of a heritage consultant, appropriate recording of the building, an interpretation plan and restoration work.

The heritage entry for the church says it was historically significant for its religious association with the Strict and Particular Baptist Church.

"The simple, classically

inspired building with its plain, hall-like interior reflects the austere nature of the denomination," the entry said.

"The church is the oldest known extant church of the Particular Baptist Church in Victoria and one of only two still used for its original purpose."

Church redevelopment designer Tony Preiato said his clients had followed Heritage Victoria and council protocols for several months.

"We believe the extension respects the building. It's a simple form and we've retained the view from the street, so it won't detract from the historical significance."

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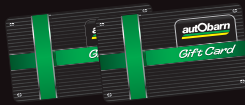
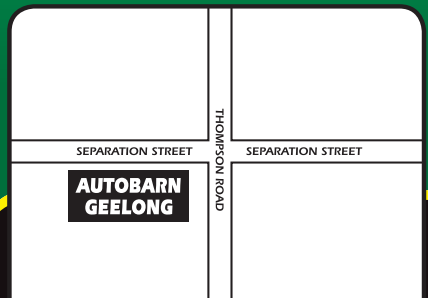
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Helping pick up the pieces

Shattered Lives

Our hidden road toll

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

“EVERYONE knows someone impacted by road trauma.”

Road trauma counsellor Therese Bryant paused as the thoughts of some of those people flickered across her face.

“It’s like a disease; there aren’t many of us who are untouched by the road toll or the hidden toll.”

Therese knows the impact of road accidents more than most, even in her own family.

“I had a minor accident 30 years ago when a motor-cycle hit the back of a car when I was a passenger.

“I suffered whiplash and I still feel the effects today.”

Therese is the Geelong coordinator for Road Trauma Support Services Victoria, a community organisation offering counselling, education and support services to accident victims.

Therese’s accident three decades ago was just the start. A car later struck her as a pedestrian and her brother suffered a broken pelvis in a collision as a 19-year-old.

More recently her youngest daughter was in a car that rolled three times, causing spinal damage. She recovered but now suffers osteoid arthritis.

“I fell into this role through personal experience after working in loss and grief counselling for 20 years,” Therese said.

“We’ve all done stupid things on the road. I cringe sometimes when I see what people do on the road.

“All of those experiences led me to believe that education was the only way to do something about it.”

Therese admitted that few people would be aware of her organisation.

“We provide free, professional, face-to-face and telephone counselling services to people who have been affected by motor vehicle crashes.

“That could be bereaved family members, witnesses, drivers, first-on-scene, emergency service personnel, families and friends of people injured in the crash.



Counsellor: Therese Bryant.
Picture: Tommy Ritchie 69572

“We also run a number of education programs on the personal impact of road trauma, early intervention programs and after the offence programs for culpable drivers and repeat traffic offenders.

“A few of our volunteers share their personal stories when they talk with offenders.

“My experiences are nothing compared to theirs. It’s an example of what can happen on the roads.

“It’s very sobering.”

Therese said she and her volunteers also visited groups, clubs and associations to spread their road safety messages.

She said more information about the organisation was available by phoning her on 0412 183 635 or 1300 367 797.

• *Shattered Lives is an Independent community campaign to raise awareness of the region’s hidden road toll: the injured survivors, their families and others who deal with the aftermath of vehicle accidents.*

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Kart racers ‘on right track’

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JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

AS MARK Webber and Casey Stoner achieve podium finishes on motor racing tracks around the world, a Geelong track is producing winners as well.

The sound of karts buzzing around the purpose-built track at Corio’s Beckley Park has become synonymous with hosting major championships.

Geelong Karting Club operates the track, virtually the home of the sport’s national championships when hosted in Victoria.

The tradition continues when the

club hosts the 2011 Australian Rotax National Championships this weekend.

The event attracts competitors from all over Australia to compete for the coveted Rotax Nationals Green Plate.

President Denis Hogan said the club simply organised and successfully ran more major karting events than any other in Australia.

“There’s no doubt in anyone’s mind that to win a Geelong Open meeting is at the pinnacle of the sport,” he said.

“Geelong Kart Club has simply been Australia’s number-one trend-setting club when it comes to innovation in the sport of karting.”

A large group formed the club in 1960 under the leadership of motorcycle dealer Lyall O’Brien.

It hasn’t always been smooth running, with the club almost fold-



And they’re racing: **Dominic Albanese at the Geelong Karting Club track.**

Picture: Emily Lane 69852

ing in the early ’70s amid a lack of senior members and threatening to turn to mini-bikes. Denis said the club survived the crisis to have plans for Beckley Park drawn up by 1979.

“A track on the Melbourne side of Geelong was more desirable and closer for Melbourne karters,” Denis explained.

“With the Victorian Road Race club, we built the first 750-metre sprint and one-kilometre road race circuit on the east coast of Australia.”

The track was tested immediately, successfully hosting a 1979 Victorian Championships.

Since then the club has hosted nationals in 1986, 1992 and 1998, a Bicentennial Kart Prix in 1988 and many state titles.

Famous drivers to have raced at Beckley Park include Jamie Whincup, Mark Winterbottom, Garth Tander, Jason Bright, Russell

Ingall and Formula One stars Mark Webber and David Coulthard.

“These events are not easy to run because of the many regulations we have to adhere to,” Denis said, “but as a club we always put on a great show and hopefully this weekend is no exception.”

Denis proudly listed the club’s achievements including introduction of a timing system rivalling Formula One standards for accuracy.

“Geelong Karting Club is in a league of its own when it comes to moving forward with new ideas to improve facilities for karters and we have more improvements listed for completion in the next couple of years.

“We’d love to see more people here enjoying the best sport in the world.” Denis said more information about the club was available at geelongkartingclub.com.au.

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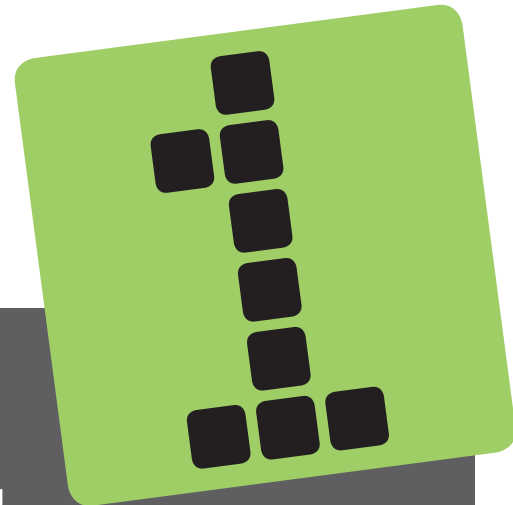
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- Over 19,000 students study with The Gordon each year
- The Gordon has experienced large growth of 56.7% in its operations over the last five years
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- The Gordon is one of the regions largest employer with over 800 staff across teaching and support areas

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- 87% are proud to work at The Gordon (increase from 2008)
- 83% see The Gordon as an Employer of Choice (increase from 2008)

To be the best we can be for our students, industry and community, we are working on our teamwork and we are heading in the right direction.

- 90% of staff believe members of their workgroup treat each other with respect
- 86% of staff say there is a good team spirit in their workgroup, an increase of 19% (since 2008)

At the Gordon we strive to ensure that the workplace is a safe and healthy environment. Again the results clearly reinforce we are on the right track.

- The overwhelming majority of staff support the statement that bullying is not tolerated at The Gordon with this support increasing by 13% (since 2008)
- Reduction in the instances of bullying of 41.5% (since 2008)

The way The Gordon is funded has changed dramatically in recent years and we now operate in a very competitive market. To prepare and be ready for these new directions The Gordon has made significant changes and despite these difficulties in the organisation the results are very good.

- When staff were asked if change has been handled well, there has been a 40.6% increase in performance since 2008.

The Results The Facts

This 2011 staff survey was conducted by the State Services Authority (SSA). The Victorian Government has vested the SSA with functions designed to foster the development of an efficient, integrated and responsive public sector which is highly ethical, accountable and professional in the way it delivers services to the Victorian community. The Gordon voluntarily and proactively participates in these staff surveys to obtain feedback on how to improve and to benchmark our performance against other public sector entities.

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Seniors who address hearing loss feel younger, more confident, and reduce their chances of developing dementia.

"...seniors with hearing loss are significantly more likely to develop dementia over time than those who retain use of their hearing."

Renowned medical school Johns Hopkins has found that seniors with hearing loss are significantly more likely to develop dementia over time than those who retain use of their hearing. Although the reasons for this link is still unknown, researchers suggest that the strain of following conversations and increasing social isolation leave people more vulnerable to dementia. Whatever the cause, their findings offer a starting point for interventions — even as simple as hearing aids — that could delay or

prevent dementia in some people by improving their hearing.

Additionally, studies into the effects of sensory deprivation and neural plasticity have found that people who avoid wearing hearing aids attain a reduced benefit and experience when they eventually see the necessity of a hearing solution.

According to Fiona Sutherland, an audiologist and owner of the Waurm Ponds Hearing Clinic, these studies are very important for people living with hearing loss:

"They provide people with further motivation to address their hearing loss earlier - and the result is that they will feel younger, more confident, and eager to once again enjoy the social situations that had become tedious."

But there is also some great news for people with hearing loss. In Australia, the government recognises the impact that hearing loss has on both its citizens lives and the national economy. Subsequently, they provide pensioners and veterans with access to free digital hearing aids. Assistance is available to all people with hearing loss through tax rebates, health insurance, and compensation for hearing loss that has developed as a result of exposure to noise in the workplace.

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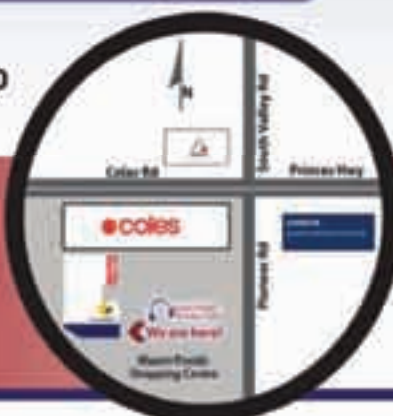
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letters

On the buses

IT SEEMS Geelong is rapidly hurtling into the 12th year of its 21st Century with an icon on the way but a bus service that stops on Sunday nights at 6pm.

This was my experience recently. It seems our centrally-operated-by-state-government-remote-control-dictatorship deems that we Geelong bus-Vegemites should be safely in front of the telly at night.

Perhaps in summer we might get to stay up a bit late, frolicking at Eastern Beach or having an 8.30pm-ice-cream-eating stroll around the waterfront.

It would be nice for a change to go home on the bus late.

I'd feel so grown up then!

Gary Oraniuk
Geelong West

Blood broiling

I STRENUOUSLY object to the application for a broiler farm at Wallington because I feel that this type of industry

Dam helpful

FURTHER to the August 19 *Independent's* "dam busters" story, in which I was the lead objector, I wish to thank all the following people:

- June, Ray and ath Riches, the residents of Ryan Crt and all others who signed our petition;
- Drysdale Clifton Springs Community Association, particularly Patrick Hughes and Doug Carson; and
- Councillor Rod Macdonald and City of Greater Geelong for listening to our complaints.

We are grateful the decision was reversed.

Lesley Bennett
Drysdale

would have a terrible impact on our lives.

Noise from the trucks and machinery would go on day and night.

Flood of development

HAS CITY of Greater Geelong's flood maps and the strategy behind them been well-planned and do they provide justice to those affected by them (*Independent*, August 19)?

How is the data calculated for the one-in-100-year extreme floods?

Are they based on past data? Alternatively, are they based on future estimates?

Reasonably accurate data has only been available for a short period of time.

Data based on agricultural run off is for land that absorbs much of the rain and slowly releases it into streams and rivers, which is less likely to cause major flooding whereas rapidly developing residential lands have a different run-off pattern.

Run-off from new roads, footpaths and residential properties is rapid and sudden. There is no absorption to slow it before entering creeks and rivers.

Developers wishing to maximise land usage lobby councils to enclose creeks and streams in pipelines. When the pipes fail to cope with the increase of run-off caused from development then properties upstream face flooding where it previously never happened.

People buying properties in good faith now face devaluing, higher insurance costs, unavailable insurance cover or loss of property.

Who is accountable, council or the developers?

This concern applies to all parts of the City of Greater Geelong, whose northern suburbs have become a developer's paradise. Creeks have been re-engineered to meet the demands of developers, causing floods in areas previously unflooded.

Councils and their officers who rubber-stamp planning without examination and debate may find themselves facing litigation.

John RL Wilson
Norlane

Tonnes of expense

MARK Ruseler is apparently very happy with the carbon tax (*Letters*, August 26).

However, his sweeping statements suggest he has accepted without question the government speil.

One inconvenient fact is unavailability of alternative reliable, cheap, base-load energy sources. This means that "as we switch energy sources" the price of energy will automatically become more expensive, not cheaper.

As for the "billions of dollars in investment into cleaner options", most of it comes from government subsidies and grants. That is, taxpayers are funding it.

The Productivity Report states that we already pay the equivalent of \$44 per tonne of CO2 in abatement subsidies. Add to that a carbon tax of \$23 per tonne and Australia will pay \$67 per tonne of CO2.

Odor from broiler farms is just awful. On hot days we would be unable to go outside because of the stench.

Dust from seed, trucks, machinery, wood shavings or whatever bedding the farm used would affect us all, especially asthmatics and people with breathing problems.

Curlewis Rd is unsuitable for the likely amount of additional traffic – 103 trucks every six weeks.

The farm's buffer zone would prevent landowners building on their land.

If the proponent wants a broiler farm they should own the buffer zone; they can't just take someone else's land and call it a buffer zone just so they can make money.

I am sure everyone in Wallington agrees the area is inappropriate for this kind of industry.

I hope my neighbors all feel the same and will support us by posting objections to this ugly intrusion on our beautiful Wallington.

Julie Cleland
Wallington

The UN reports that "going green" will cost \$76 trillion over the next 40 years.

Bear in mind that the whole global warming/human-induced climate change catastrophe scenarios are based on computer models that have proven spectacularly incorrect.

Now that is what I call "puerile scare tactics".

Lesley Johnson
East Geelong

Environment of fear

AS VICTORIA'S population increases it is important we look to maintaining our natural environment.

Recently I have felt some disquiet over some of Premier Ted Baillieu's decisions and recent moves. It seems the Victorian Liberals are looking at opening up areas of our national parks for various developments and backing away from their pledge to reduce Victoria's carbon emissions while eyeing off Melbourne's green wedges for possible development.

One of the most worrying developments is that they are considering weakening the state's Flora and Fauna Guarantee Act, which was designed to protect Victoria's biodiversity, so loggers can continue pillaging mountain ash forests when plantation alternatives are available.

All this on top of the Liberals' earlier decision to open up the alpine national park to cattle grazing makes me wonder whether they have any care for the environment at all.

Remember, Mr Baillieu, the economy is actually a component of the environment.

No environment, no economy.

Leigh Adamson
Belmont

Words of respect

WE KNOW it sounds good to many but if we are going to include every public relationship under the word marriage why not include polygamists, water down divorce to separation and call promiscuity fidelity.

Kids won't know the certainty of what the word marriage means in a few years.

Respect for diversity implies respect for names.

John Modra
Colac

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A Goodfellow at work with poetry

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

IF JIMMY Barnes never performed *Working Class Man*, then Geoff Goodfellow would have.

The working class theme repeats throughout the *Independent's* conversation with the man described as Australia's toughest poet.

Poetry and toughness are not quite comfortable bedfellows – and working class people and snobbish poetry even less so.

But Geoff has a ready answer.

"I'm from working-class stock and my poetry is working class."

The blue collar wordsmith will bring his unique voice to Geelong's Courthouse on Sunday.

Goodfellow expected a sympathetic audience in Geelong.

"Geelong's a working-class town. I think I've got something to say that will resonate with the people of Geelong."

"Besides, I've got half a dozen cousins there and I don't mind showing off in front of them."

Goodfellow admitted he entered the world of poetry with "a great deal of trepidation initially."

"It seems an absolute contradiction to be writing poetry about working-class people but I'm trying to write poetry that communicates with everyday people."

If that was his aim, Goodfellow has well



Punching on: Geoff Goodfellow shows the scars of a battle with life and cancer.

and truly hit the mark. His latest book, *Waltzing with Jack Dancer*, is his ninth published volume of poetry, many of which have gone through reprints.

But Goodfellow doesn't just write poetry. He performs it, sometimes in the most unlikely of places such as jails and construction sites.

He was the writer in residence for the Construction, Forestry, Mining and Energy Union in 1990 and travelled the rails as 'Poet on the Trains' on The Ghan, Indian Pacific and Melbourne Express.

He has toured schools, performed at writers' festivals around the world and had his portrait painted for the Archibald prize.

Despite all that, Goodfellow said his working-class roots still drove his work.

His fight with cancer motivated his latest book, drawing on his family's boxing heritage.

"I'm a walk-up fighter brought up in a family of fighters and boxers, so when I was told I had up to five years to live I told the doctor he was wrong."

Diagnosed with cancer of the throat, Goodfellow is now three and half years into a healthy living regimen – keeping his body in good shape, exercising and eating well.

He confessed to infusing his performances with black humour.

"It's a good sign that we live in a healthy society when people can still laugh and cry with me as we go through the cancer journey."

An Afternoon with Geoff Goodfellow will begin 3.20pm at Courthouse ARTS as part of Melbourne Writers Festival.

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Seven 5:30 Seven Early News 6:00 Sunrise [s] 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 11:30 Seven Morning News [s] 12:00 The Midday Movie: 'Camp' (M a, l) (03) Stars: Daniel Letterle 2:30 Dr Oz: Oz Alert: When Herbal Supplements Are Deadly (PG) [s] 3:30 All For Kids [s] 4:00 Spit It Out [s] 4:30 Seven News at 4:30 [s] 5:30 Deal Or No Deal [s] 6:00 Seven News [s] 6:30 Today Tonight [s] 7:00 Home and Away (PG) 7:30 2011 AFL Premiership Season: Rnd 24: Collingwood vs Geelong 8:30 Friday Movie: '88 Minutes' (M v, l) (09) – Nathaniel Ayers, a homeless musician longs to perform on stage. By chance he meets a journalist searching for a story, who decides to help Ayers achieve his dream of playing at the Walt Disney Concert Hall. Stars: Robert Downey Jr & Jamie Foxx. 1:00 The Late Movie: 'Bailey's Mistake' (PG a) (01) Stars: Linda Hamilton 3:00 Program To Be Advised 4:00 NBC Today	Seven 5:30 Children's Programs 7:00 Weekend Sunrise [s] 9:00 Saturday Disney [s] 11:00 Children's Programs [s] 12:00 V8 Xtra [s] 1:00 That '70s Show: The Good Son (PG) 1:30 Minute To Win It (PG) [s] 2:30 Afternoon Movie: 'Gone Fishin' (PG v) (96) Stars: Joe Pesci 4:30 What's Up Down Under [s] 5:00 Guide To The Good Life 5:30 Coxy's Big Break 6:00 Seven News [s] 6:30 Better Homes And Gardens 7:30 Family Movie: 'Under The Tuscan Sun' (G) (01) – Frances Mayes is a 35-year-old writer travels to Tuscany to get some space away from her heart-wrenching divorce, and surprises herself when she makes an offer on a rundown villa - the biggest impulse purchase of her life. Stars: Diane Lane & Lindsay Duncan 10:00 The Saturday Movie: 'Terminator 2: Judgment Day' (M v, l) (91) Stars: Arnold Schwarzenegger 12:45 The Late Movie: 'Butter' (M v, l) (97) [s] Stars: Ernie Hudson & Shemar Moore 2:50 Towards The Golden Triangle 5:00 Power Rangers (PG)	Seven 6:00 Children's Programs 7:00 Weekend Sunrise [s] 10:00 AFL Game Day (PG) 11:00 Program To Be Advised 1:00 Sunday Movie: 'Flight 93' (PG a, v) (06) Stars: Jeffrey Nordling 3:00 2011 AFL Premiership Season: Rnd 24: Port Adelaide v Melbourne 6:00 Seven News [s] 6:30 Sunday Night [s] 7:30 Highway Patrol: Head On (PG) 8:00 The Force - Behind The Line (PG) 8:30 Bones: The Signs In The Silence (M) – A 15-year-old Jane Doe, who's hearing impaired and unable to communicate, is found on the streets covered in blood and wielding a knife. 9:30 Castle: Knockout (M) – Kate Beckett's investigation into her mother's death is reactivated when a professional hitman with knowledge of Beckett's mother's murder, stages a spectacular escape. 10:30 The Suspects - True Australian Thrillers (M) – A man kills the woman he loves. 11:30 The First 48 (M) 12:30 Great Characters Of Queensland 1:30 Room For Improvement [s] 2:00 Home Shopping 3:00 NBC Today
Nine 5:30 Today 'Live' [s] 9:00 Kerri-Anne (PG) 11:00 National Morning News [s] 11:30 Alive & Cooking 12:00 Ellen De Generes Show (PG) 1:00 The View (PG) 2:00 Days Of Our Lives (PG) 3:00 ET [s] 3:30 Magical Tales 4:00 Pyramid [s] 4:30 Afternoon News 5:30 Hot Seat 6:00 National Evening News [s] 6:30 WIN News [s] 7:00 A Current Affair [s] 7:30 Two And A Half Men: Sleep Tight, Puddin' / That Voodoo That I Do (PG s) 8:30 The Mentalist: Redline (M) [s] – The body of Liselle Douglas, a beautiful, young car saleswoman, is found stuffed in the trunk of a vehicle. 9:30 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: The Case of the Cross-Dressing Corp (M v, a) 10:30 CSI Miami: Bolt Action (M) 11:30 Friday Night Football: Newcastle Knights v South Sydney Rabbitohs – from Ausgrid Stadium, Newcastle. 1:30 Friday Night Football: George Illawarra Dragons v Penrith Panthers 3:30 Entertainment Tonight [s] 4:00 Guthy Renker Australia 4:30 Good Morning America	Nine 5:30 Today 'Live' [s] 9:00 Kerri-Anne (PG) 11:00 National Morning News [s] 11:30 Alive & Cooking 12:00 Ellen De Generes Show (PG) 1:00 The View (PG) 2:00 Days Of Our Lives (PG) 3:00 ET [s] 3:30 Magical Tales 4:00 Pyramid [s] 4:30 Afternoon News 5:30 Hot Seat 6:00 National Evening News [s] 6:30 WIN News [s] 7:00 A Current Affair [s] 7:30 Two And A Half Men: Sleep Tight, Puddin' / That Voodoo That I Do (PG s) 8:30 The Mentalist: Redline (M) [s] – The body of Liselle Douglas, a beautiful, young car saleswoman, is found stuffed in the trunk of a vehicle. 9:30 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: The Case of the Cross-Dressing Corp (M v, a) 10:30 CSI Miami: Bolt Action (M) 11:30 Friday Night Football: Newcastle Knights v South Sydney Rabbitohs – from Ausgrid Stadium, Newcastle. 1:30 Friday Night Football: George Illawarra Dragons v Penrith Panthers 3:30 Entertainment Tonight [s] 4:00 Guthy Renker Australia 4:30 Good Morning America	Nine 6:00 Children's Programs 7:00 Weekend Today 10:00 Wide World Of Sports 11:00 The Sunday Footy Show (AFL) 12:00 The Final Story: 1971 1:00 TAC Cup: Future Stars (PG) 2:00 Gilligan's Island 2:30 The Fresh Prince Of Bel Air 3:00 Wildlife (PG) 4:00 Program To Be Advised 5:00 News: First At Five [s] 5:30 Postcards 6:00 National Evening News [s] 6:30 RBT (PG) 7:30 60 Minutes [s] 8:30 Underbelly - Razor: Spoils Of War (M v, l, d) – Furious over Tilly's decision to kill Norman Bruhn, Kate sparks an all-out war by recruiting Tilly's prostitutes to sell cocaine. 9:30 Camelot: Guinevere (MA15+s, v) 10:30 Camelot: Lady Of The Lake (MA15+s, v) 11:30 Flashpoint (M v, l) 12:30 Sunday Football: Brisbane Broncos v Manly Sea Eagles – from Suncorp Stadium. 2:50 Music Special: Rod Stewart 3:00 Brand Developers 3:30 Danoz 4:00 Good Morning America 5:00 Early Morning News
Ten 6:00 TEN News [s] 7:00 Toasted TV [s] 8:00 Totally Wild [s] 8:30 Wurrwally [s] 9:00 9AM News [s] 10:00 The Circle [PG] [s] 12:00 Dr Phil: (PG) 1:00 The Oprah Winfrey Show (PG) [s] 2:00 Ready Steady Cook 3:00 Infomercial (PG) 3:30 The Renovators [s] 4:00 Program To Be Advised 4:30 The Bold And The Beautiful [s] 5:00 TEN News At Five [s] 6:30 6:30 With George Negus 7:00 The 7PM Project (PG) 7:30 The Renovators [s] – Tonight Baz shows us how to replace a window with a door. 8:30 To Be Announced 9:30 To Be Announced 10:30 Can Of Worms - Special Encore Presentation (M) [s] 11:30 TEN Late News [s] 12:00 Sports Tonight [s] 12:30 The Late Show (PG) 1:30 Infomercials (PG)	Ten 6:00 Toasted TV [s] 9:00 Scope [s] 9:30 The Elephant Princess [s] 10:00 Hit List TV (PG i, s, a) 12:00 Landed Music (PG i, s, a) [s] 12:30 The Hit Rater.com (PG i, s, a) 1:00 The Doctors (PG) – Four doctors with four different specialties talk about medicine in a brand-new way, answering all of your questions. 2:00 Infomercial (PG) 2:30 Hook Line & Sinker [s] 3:00 AFL Premiership Season 2011: Round 24 - West Bulldogs v Fremantle – Join your expert commentary team for all the action and post match interviews from Etihad Stadium. 6:00 TEN Evening News 6:30 Before The Game (PG) [s] 7:30 AFL Premiership Season 2011: Carlton v St Kilda - Round 24 – Join your expert commentary team for all the action from the MCG 11:30 Late Night Movie: 'Black Hawk Down' (MA15+v, l, war) (01) Stars: Ewan McGregor, Tom Sizemore, Eric Bana & Sam Shepard 2:00 Infomercials (PG) 4:00 Religious Programs (PG)	Ten 6:00 Religious Programs 7:00 Totally Wild [s] 7:30 Pearlie [s] 8:00 Hook Line & Sinker [s] 8:30 The Great Australian Doorstep 9:00 School Of Rock Oz Made [s] 10:00 Hit List TV (PG i, s, a) 12:00 Australian Rally Championship: Midyear Review 1:00 Horse Trade 2:00 The Renovators: How To [s] 3:00 Electric Dreams: The 1990's 4:00 Meet The Press [s] 4:30 The Bolt Report 5:00 TEN News At Five 5:30 Jamie's Thirty Minute Meals: Broccoli Pasta [s] 6:00 TEN Evening News 6:30 Bondi Vet (PG) 7:30 The Renovators [s] – Can our renovators pour a concrete slab to Baz's high standards? 8:30 Movie: 'Night At The Museum: Battle Of The Smithsonian' (M) – Security guard Larry Daley infiltrates the Smithsonian Institution in order to rescue Jehediah and Octavius, who have been shipped to the museum by mistake. Stars: Ben Stiller & Amy Adams 10:45 MotoGP: Round 13 – from San Marino. 1:00 Infomercials
SBS 5:05 Worldwatch 1:00 The Food Lovers Guide to Australia [s] 1:30 Insight [s] 2:30 The Nest (PG) [s] 3:30 Worldwatch – Al Jazeera News 4:00 The Journal [s] 4:30 PBS Newshour 5:30 La Vuelta a Espaa 2011 Daily Highlights 6:00 Letters and Numbers (PG) 6:30 World News Australia [s] 7:30 James May's Toy Stories: Lego [s] – In one of his biggest challenges yet, James attempts to build a full-size house out of Lego. 8:30 Blitz Street (PG) [s] – Tonight, Blitz Street is on the receiving end of one of the largest bombs the Luftwaffe ever dropped on Britain: the SC1000, nicknamed The Hermann. A bomb this large was designed to cause massive damage to the infrastructure of industrial Britain. 9:30 World News Australia [s] 10:00 Sex: An Unnatural History: The Church (M a, s, n) 10:30 Erotic Tales: Touch Me (MA15+a, n, s) 11:00 Next Door (MA15+v, a) 12:00 Spiral (M i, v) 2:25 Weatherwatch & Music	SBS 4:30 UEFA Super Cup 2011: Barcelona v Porto - From Stade Louis II, Monaco. 7:05 Worldwatch 1:00 Masterpiece: Mahler 9: Lucerne Festival Orchestra 2:45 Masterpiece: The Chopin Etudes 2:50 Masterpiece: Dancing Dreams 4:25 Masterpiece: The Chopin Preludes 4:30 PBS Newshour [s] 5:30 La Vuelta a Espaa 2011 Daily Highlights 6:00 The Passionate Apprentices [s] 6:30 World News Australia [s] 7:30 Engineering Connections: Bullet Train [s] – Richard Hammond reveals the surprising inspirations behind the world's first high-speed locomotive. 8:30 Aliens of the Deep Sea [s] – The octopus is a monster with nine brains, three hearts, eight tentacles and its one of the smartest beings on the planet. 9:30 Rockwiz: Serena Ryder & Lior [s] [s] 10:20 Classic Albums: Black Sabbath - Paranoid (M i, d) 11:30 La Vuelta a Espaa 2011: Stage 8 - Talavera de la Reina to San Lorenzo de El Escorial - 177 km mountain stage. 2:00 Weatherwatch Overnight	SBS 6:00 Weatherwatch & Music 6:35 Worldwatch 10:30 Football Asia 11:00 Les Murray's Football Feature - UEFA Super Cup: Barcelona v Porto 12:00 UEFA Champions League Magazine 12:30 Speedweek [s] 2:00 Worldwatch 3:00 Hitlers Bodyguard: Kill the New Chancellor! (PG) [s] 4:00 Celtic Thunder: Its Entertainment 5:00 Cycling Central 5:30 La Vuelta a Espaa 2011 Daily Highlights 6:00 Trawlermen [s] – Lifelong friends and skip-pers, Jimmy Buchan and Sandy Watt, take stock of the human cost of one of the most dangerous occupations known to mankind. 6:30 World News Australia [s] 7:30 Lost Worlds: Ghosts of Mary Rose [s] 8:30 Dateline – International current affairs hosted by Mark Davis and Yalda Hakim. 9:30 Who's Afraid of a Big Black Hole? [s] – Black holes are one of the most destructive forces in the universe, capable of tearing a planet apart and swallowing an entire star. 10:30 The Future of Food [s] 11:30 La Vuelta a Espaa 2011: Stage 9 - Villacastn to Sierra de Bejar, La Covatilla 2:00 Weatherwatch Overnight

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He was 15 when he was arrested. 11:55 Drama Movie: "Paper Soldier" (M l,a) ('61) (In Russian) 2:00 Weatherwatch Overnight</p>	<p>5:00 QI: Horrible [s] 5:30 Spicks And Specks (PG) 6:00 ABC News Breakfast [s] 9:00 ABC News [s] 9:30 Business Today [s] 10:00 Children's Programs 12:00 Middy Report [s] 12:30 National Press Club Address [s] 1:30 Surling The Menu: Northlands [s] 2:00 Poirot (PG) 3:00 Children's Programs 6:00 Country House Rescue [s] 6:50 Minuscule: Cherry Tomato 7:00 ABC News [s] 7:30 7.30 [s] - Current affairs program. 8:00 Poh's Kitchen On The Road [s] 8:30 Spicks And Specks [s] 9:00 The Gruen Transfer (M) 9:30 At Home With Julia [s] - A narrative comedy series about Julia Gillard, her boyfriend Tim Mathieson and their private, everyday life. 10:00 At The Movies (PG) 10:30 Lateline [s] 11:05 Lateline Business [s] 11:35 An African Journey (PG) 12:35 Family Footsteps: Uganda [s] 1:30 Movie: "The Spy In Black" (G) ('39) Stars: Conrad Veidt & Valerie Hobson 3:00 Big Ideas [s] 4:00 rage</p> <p>5:30 Seven Early News [s] 6:00 Sunrise [s] 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 11:30 Seven Morning News [s] 12:00 The Middy Movie: "Prairie Fever" (M v) ('08) Stars: Kevin Sorbo 2:00 Dr Oz: Disastrous Sleep Disorders: 3 Mysterious Sleep Conditions (PG) [s] 3:00 Samantha Who? (PG) [s] 3:30 All For Kids [s] 4:00 Spit It Out [s] 4:30 Seven News at 4:30 [s] 5:30 Deal Or No Deal [s] 6:00 Seven News [s] 6:30 Today Tonight [s] 7:00 Home and Away (PG) 7:30 The X Factor: Bootcamp 1 (PG) - The X Factor searches for Australia's hottest talent across four different singing categories. Hosted by Luke Jacobz. 9:30 Criminal Minds: Suspect Behaviour: Nighthawk (M) [s] 10:30 Parking Wars (PG) 11:00 Detroit 1-8-7: Motor City Blues (M) 12:00 Style By Jury: Hitting A High Note (PG) 12:30 Sons And Daughters [s] 1:00 Home Shopping 3:30 Room For Improvement 4:00 NBC Today</p> <p>5:30 Today "Live" 9:00 Kerri-Anne (PG) 11:00 National Morning News [s] 11:30 Alive & Cooking 12:00 Ellen De Generes Show (PG) 1:00 The View (PG) 2:00 Days Of Our Lives (PG) 3:00 Entertainment Tonight [s] 3:30 Magical Tales 4:00 Kitchen Whiz 4:30 Afternoon News 5:30 Hot Seat 6:00 Nine News [s] 6:30 A Current Affair 7:00 The Big Bang Theory (PG) 7:30 Same Name: Mike Tyson (PG) 8:30 The Mentalist: Pink Chanel Suit (M d) - The team investigates a murder and a missing-person case on a wealthy family's compound that is heavily guarded. 9:30 RPA (PG mp) - In part two of Gemma's story, She and her husband, Stephen, say goodbye to their daughters knowing the risks involved in going ahead with the surgery. 10:30 Top Design (PG) 11:25 Little Britain (M l,s) 12:00 Eclipse Music TV (PG) 12:30 What Would You Do? 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(In Korean) 1:05 Drama Series: 112 Emergency (PG) 1:35 Weatherwatch Overnight</p>	<p>4:55 National Press Club Address [s] 6:00 ABC News Breakfast [s] 9:00 ABC News [s] 9:30 Business Today [s] 10:00 Being Spanish [s] 10:30 Children's Programs 12:00 Middy Report [s] 12:30 Heart & Soul (PG) / Mother & Son 2:00 Poirot (PG) [s] 3:00 Children's Programs 6:00 Restoration Man [s] 7:00 ABC News [s] 7:30 7.30 [s] - Current affairs program. 8:00 Catalyst [s] - The Oscars of Australian Science, The Eureka Prizes; Matilda Jane Oke's Eureka moment; Sleek Geeks Award & People's Choice Award. 8:30 Crownies (M l,v,s) [s] - Erin's finding it increasingly hard to keep working on a brutal murder case. 9:30 The Next Big Thing (M l) [s] 10:30 Lateline [s] 11:05 Lateline Business [s] 11:35 Songbook: Ray Davies: Ep. 2 (PG) 12:25 Secrets Of The Forbidden City (M v) 2:00 Jennifer Byrne Presents: Crime 2:30 The Next Big Thing (PG) 3:30 Songs Of Praise: Hignam [s] 4:00 rage (PG)</p> <p>5:30 Seven Early News [s] 6:00 Sunrise [s] 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 11:30 Seven Morning News [s] 12:00 The Middy Movie: "The Riverman" (M v,a) ('04) Stars: Bruce Greenwood 2:00 Dr Oz: Buried Alive: The Science Behind Hoarders (PG) [s] 3:00 Samantha Who? 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What buried issues will be uncovered? 9:30 Law & Order: S.V.U.: Shattered (M) - When an 8-year-old boy is abducted off the street, Detectives Benson and Stabler begin to suspect the missing child's parents. 10:30 TEN Late News With Sports Tonight [s] 11:00 The Late Show (PG) 12:00 Eureka: Up In The Air (M) 1:00 Infomercials (PG)</p> <p>5:05 Worldwatch 1:00 The Food Lovers Guide to Australia 1:30 Haiti: After the Quake (M a) 2:30 Dateline [s] 3:30 Worldwatch 4:00 The Journal [s] 4:30 PBS Newshour 5:30 La Vuelta a Espaa 2011 Daily Highlights 6:00 Letters and Numbers [s] 6:30 World News Australia [s] 7:30 Gourmet Farmer: North West Long Table Lunch [s] 8:00 The Biggest Chinese Restaurant in the World: A Good Match (PG) [s] - The West Lake Restaurant is preparing for a huge wedding ceremony. 8:30 Supersizers Go... Elizabethan (PG) [s] - Restaurant critic Giles Coren and comedian Sue Perkins spend a week going back to the food of Elizabeth I and William Shakespeare. 9:30 World News Australia [s] 10:05 The Protectors (M a,l) 11:10 Thriller Movie: "The Candidate" (M v,s,l) (In Danish) 12:55 Black Comedy Movie: "C(ri)ook" (M v,d,l) (In German) 2:45 Weatherwatch Overnight</p>

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EXHIBITION – Gordon Institute of TAFE visual art students exhibition until September 11 at Shearers Arms Gallery, 202 Aberdeen St, Geelong West. Enquiries 5223 1825.

Friday

ALONE – Home Alone Group meets 10am-midday at 92-96 Cox Rd, Corio. Enquiries 5275 7771.

MEN – Men’s conversation group meets 10am-midday at The Salvation Army Northside, 92 Cox Rd, Corio. Enquiries 5275 7771.

ART – Peel Your Eyes art exhibition opens at former Dimmey’s building, Malop St, Geelong. Runs until September 16. Enquiries 0488 066 628.

Saturday

DANCE – Ballroom dancing 8-11.30pm at The Ballroom, Bay View Pde, Hamlyn Heights. Cost \$7. Also Monday. Enquiries 5229 3785.

BOWLS – Highton Bowls Club opening day 12.30-1.30pm at 84 Barrabool Rd, Highton.

SALE – Jumble sale 10am-midday at St John’s Lutheran Church, 163 Yarra St, Geelong. Enquiries 5248 4231.

DANCE – Old-time dance 8pm-midnight at Leopold Hall. Cost \$8. Enquiries 5250 1333.

Sunday

POETRY – Poetry and conversation 3-5pm at Morrow Theatre, above Geelong Library. Enquiries 5272 6010.

MARKET – First Moriac Makers and Growers Market 9am-2pm at Newling Reserve, Moriac. Enquiries 0419 545 270.

DANCE – Social ballroom dancing 1.30-4.30pm at Highton Senior Citizens, 85 Barrabool Rd. Cost \$4 includes afternoon tea. Enq 0422 776 711.

Monday

PRAYER – Prayers for the sick 3-4pm outside Waterfront Christian Church, 35 Corio St, Geelong. Enquiries 5229 5799.

HOSPITAL – Geelong Auxiliary of the Royal Children’s Hospital meets 1.30pm at St Joseph’s Football Club, Hilltop St, Herne Hill. Enquiries 0407 564 386.

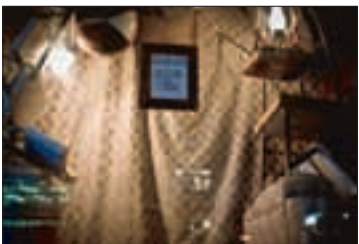
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PHILOSOPHY – Spiritual philosophy café 7-9.30pm at Black Bull Tapas Bar, 48 Moorabool St, Geelong.

Also Thursday 2-4.30pm at Pear Tree Café, Torquay. Enquiries 5264 7484.

HEALING – Norlane Healing Hands for pensioners, health care card holders 9.30am-12.30pm at Norlane Baptist Church hall, 4 Spruhan Ave. Enquiries 5278 7397.

DADS – Dads in Distress support service 7.30pm at Wesley Centre for



Inside story: Central Geelong former Dimmeys building, in Malop St, hosts a Peel Your Eyes art exhibition from this Friday.

Life Enrichment, 218 Ryrie St, Geelong. Enquiries 5222 4101.

DANCE – Ballroom dancing community practice night 7.30-9.30pm at Uniting Church Hall, Newcomb St, Portarlington. Cost \$3. Enquiries 5259 1776.

PHILOSOPHY – Practical philosophy book discussion group meets 10-11.30am at Geelong Library. Enquiries 5264 7484.

Wednesday

ALCOHOLICS – Alcoholics for Christ meets 7pm at One Care building, 61 Candover St, Geelong West. Enquires 0420 910 763.

DANCE – Weekly ballroom dance 7.30-10.30pm at Leopold Public Hall. Cost \$5. Enquiries 5243 5306.

WOMEN – Women’s circle meets 1-3pm, 7-9pm at Vines Road Community Centre. Enquiries 0405 697 370.

CHOIR – Geelong Welsh Ladies Choir practices 7pm at St Luke’s Uniting Church, Highton.

Thursday

MEDITATION – Meditation and philosophy for beginners 10am at Torquay RACV Golf Club. Enquiries 5264 7484.

DANCE – Life Activities Club weekly dance 2.30–4.30pm at Belmont Pavilion, Barrabool Rd. Cost \$4. Enquiries 5251 3529.

ENGLISH – Free English language program 10am-midday at Waterfront Christian Church, 35 Corio St, Geelong. Enquiries 5229 5799.

LADIES – Ladies chat club 10am-midday at The Salvation Army Northside, 92 Cox Rd, Corio. Enquiries 5275 7771.

AUXILIARY – Geelong Royal Children’s Hospital auxiliary spring stall, morning, outside Commonwealth Bank, Bellevue Ave, Highton. Enquiries 0407 564 386.

Friday

MEN – Men’s conversation group meets 10am-midday at The Salvation Army Northside, 92 Cox Rd, Corio. Enquiries 5275 7771.

Contributions to Community Calendar must be received at least one week prior to intended publication date. Details should be typed or neatly hand-written and include a contact number for publication, address, time and date of the event. Fax: 5221 3823 Email: editorial@geelongindependent.com.au Mail: PO Box 407, Geelong, 3220.

Namatjira’s life on GPAC stage

THE STORY of acclaimed water-colour painter Albert Namatjira will come to life at Geelong Performing Arts Centre stage next week after full houses in Sydney and Melbourne.

Actors Trevor Jamieson and Derik Lynch take on multiple characters in Namatjira alongside the artists relatives.

Jamieson said the cast often had a “yarn” with audience members after the show.

“It’s a great cultural awareness program and people are finding out things about indigenous issues It’s fun to open people’s minds up but we have a lot of fun on stage as well.”

Trevor said the show took audiences on an emotional yet humorous journey through Namatjira’s life.

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- > 1 carrot, finely grated
- > 1/2 onion, grated
- > 1/4 cup chopped coriander leaves
- > 1/4 cup chopped flat-leaf parsley leaves
- > 4 sheets frozen puff pastry, just thawed
- > 1 tbs sesame seeds
- > Tomato or sweet chilli or sauce, to serve

method

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3. Place 1 pastry sheet on a floured surface and halve. Spoon an eighth of the mixture lengthways along centre of each piece. Fold 1 edge of pastry over and tuck in beside filling, then fold over other side to make a roll, pressing down lightly to seal. Repeat with remaining pastry and filling. Cut rolls into 3cm pieces and cut two small incisions into each roll to prevent splitting. Place on baking sheets, cover and chill for 30 minutes. Brush with beaten egg and sprinkle with sesame seeds. Bake for 25-30 minutes until the rolls are lightly browned and cooked through. Serve with sauce on the side.

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Hotel rocks on

Cold beer, warm smiles and mouth-watering food keep patrons coming back for more at Batesford's Dog Rocks Hotel.

Nestled on the lush green banks of the Moorabool River just 10 minutes' drive from Geelong, the hotel has maintained its old-school country atmosphere as well as its old-fashioned prices.

Diners are invited to try the hotel's famous Kilogram Rocking Rump or to indulge in one of its seasonal winter specials, all prepared in-house from fresh, local

ingredients.

Patrons should always make sure they leave room for desserts because the Dog Rocks' chefs prepare delicious, old-style treats like apple strudel and sticky date pudding as well as a range of amazing creations such as chocolate parma and chocolate fortune cookies with house-made strawberry and black pepper ice cream.

On August 14 Dog Rocks' famous Pudding Club will meet for an array of delicious English pudding tastings.

Anyone planning a wedding or

birthday should inspect the hotel's beautiful and spacious function room.

Diners seeking top-line entertainment will also enjoy an array of upcoming tribute shows at Dog Rocks Hotel.

Thunderstruck will rock the venue on August 27, a Cold Chisel tribute will feature on October 15 and the music of Rihanna and Lady Gaga will entertain the crowd on November 5.

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Customers can even ask the staff to tailor hampers with dad's favourite munchies.

Franchisee Cathy Wei says all shoppers need to do is ask the friendly team for assistance and they can help prepare the perfect gift.

"Our nuts are freshly roasted on the premises and

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Highton chapel opens

Tuckers Funeral and Bereavement Service has announced the official launch of its funeral chapel at Highton. Located at Barrabool Hills Centre, on Province Blvd, the venue is one of Geelong's most modern and contemporary funeral facilities.

Tuckers director Brandan Cole says the spacious facility overlooks Barrabool Hills with seat for 800-plus people.

Another elegant, simple, light-filled chapel that can be divided to accommodate smaller numbers for more-intimate memorial services is also available on the site.

"Use of the Barrabool Hills Centre allows us to provide the community with a facility that can cater for an intimate funeral of 20 to 30 people as well as accommodating for funerals of more than 200 people," Mr Cole says.

"This is in a modern and comfortable

environment with views over the Barrabool Hills. It would be hard to find a more-peaceful and relaxed setting to have a funeral service".

The centre offers ample parking with easy access for the disabled.

The facility is close to Highton Cemetery.

The chapel's entrance and large foyer area incorporates an adjoining commercial kitchen, providing catering options for anything from a simple tea and coffee or refreshments through to full al la carte dining.

Brendan says Highton Chapel is also easy to find when travelling thanks to its location close to Geelong's ring road.

With the facility's state-of-the-art audio-visual equipment, Tuckers can offer all funeral service options including webcasting and audio-visual tributes.



Ebony Hovey and Brendan Cole at Tuckers Highton Funeral Chapel at the new Barrabool Hills Centre.

City parking changes

City of Greater Geelong has introduced more longer-term parking spaces in the central city area from this Sunday.

The changes mean more all-day, four-hour and three-hour on-street parking spaces will be available in areas adjacent to the inner-core of central Geelong.

The southern side of Richie Boulevard is capped at \$4 all day, while other areas in the upper-northeast corner, including Eastern Beach Rd and Brougham St, are capped at \$5 all day.

All-day on-street car parks are available at no charge in precincts at each corner of central Geelong:

- North west including parts of Malone St, Smythe St, Brougham St and Western Beach Rd west of Gheringhap St;
- North east including parts of Corio

St, Malop St and Little Malop St east of Bellarine St;

- South west including parts of Little Myers St, Myers St and Little Ryrie St west of Fenwick St; and

- South east including parts of Little Myers St and Bellarine St

- Additional all-day paid car parking spaces are available at Eastern Beach Rd and Richie Blvd, Brougham St and Bellerine St north of Malop St.

- Four-hour and three-hour paid on-street parks are concentrated to the north and south of the inner-core of central Geelong, including Eastern Beach Rd, Brougham St and Richie Blvd in the north and Lt Ryrie St, Market St, Myers St and Yarra St in the south.

Details of the new parking arrangements are available on the City's website at geelongaustralia.com.au.

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4 Brougham - 154 spaces* Mon-Fri: Permit Sub. \$4 all day	14 Promenade Car Park - 170 spaces
5 Corbin Central - 133 spaces	15 Cummings Pl - 90 spaces
6 Civic Centre - 487 spaces* Sub. \$4 all day	16 Ritchie Blvd - 200 spaces, 100 spaces \$4 all day (shuttle with stop)
7 11 Ryrie St - 170 spaces*	17 Heane Pl - 250 spaces
8 Wesley Church - 52 spaces*	
9 Homebush Car Park - 200 spaces* Sub. \$4 all day	
10 Westfield Geelong - 1700 spaces	

* Includes car park details. Includes both permit and casual parking spaces.

There are more than 3000 on-street parking bays in Central Geelong. Parking precincts outside the inner city contain more longer-term parking including all day, 4 hour and 3 hour on-street car parking. Check the signs in each precinct.

1 Includes a range of free all day on-street car parking plus 2 hour and 3 hour parking.	4 Includes some free all day on-street parking and some all day parking capped at \$4 or \$5.
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No interest loans available for help

Geelong No Interest Loan Scheme Chairman Peter Patterson has proudly announced that the scheme recently approved its 100th loan for low-income individuals and families in the Geelong area.

The loans had also generated \$90,000 of funds into local Geelong businesses, Mr Patterson said.

The community based scheme runs totally by volunteers relies on the goodwill and honesty of its borrowers to continue making new loans.

Thanks to the generous support of National Australia Bank, the scheme continues to seek new borrowers for its growing business.



Noel Egan and Wendy Patchett man the office at Geelong No Interest Loan Scheme.

Mr Patterson advised that to be eligible clients only needed to live locally and be the holder of a valid pension or health card.

Loans were mainly approved for essential items such as a refrigerators, washing machines, bedding and televisions.

Mr Patterson said the scheme

did not approve loans to pay bills, rent or similar expenses.

“But if you are eligible and in need of a loan for any essential item or service then we may be able to help you,” he said.

“Loans are generally for amounts up to \$1200 and can be repaid by as little as \$20 to \$30-per fortnight.”

Prospective borrowers can contact Geelong No Interest Loan Scheme by phoning 5229 8829; emailing geelongnils1@bigpond.com or faxing 5222 5227.

The scheme’s Newcomb office is manned Tuesdays to Fridays but has a message bank attached to its phone number so volunteers can return calls.

Corio’s Asian grocer

The flavours of the east have arrived at Corio Shopping Centre.

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Essence of the Exotic East features wide aisles and neatly stacked shelves to present customers with an easy shopping experience.

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Romaine says customers love the convenience of shopping at Essence of the Exotic East.

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Adding to the difficulty is the abundance of fad diets and "quick-fix" plans that tempt and confuse us and ultimately fail.

If you've tried and failed to lose weight before

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So why is weight loss so hard? All too often we make weight loss much more difficult than it needs to be with extreme diets that leave us cranky and starving.

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Weight Works' chilli prawn pasta

The following recipe serves four with a smart choice for enjoying a tasty meal while losing weight.

INGREDIENTS: 200g dry spaghetti; 440g raw prawns; 160g Philly cooking cream with 60 per cent less fat; 1/3 cup sweet chilli sauce; one heaped teaspoon prepared garlic; half cup carrot, finely grated; half cup zucchini, finely grated.

METHOD: Cook spaghetti according to packet

directions.

Spray a frying pan with cooking spray and heat over medium heat. Saute' prawns until cooked.

Stir in cooking cream, sweet chilli sauce and garlic until heated through. Stir through carrot and zucchini.

Divide spaghetti evenly and pour over the prawn sauce.

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Home-grown: Holden's new Aussie built four-cylinder Cruze.

Cruizing in style

BY ERIC BLAIR

Holden Cruze is the first small, four-cylinder car to be built in Australia for too many years. Previously imported from a Daewoo plant in South Korea, it is now being produced in Holden's Adelaide factory.

This is far from being an assembly operation using imported parts. Many of the Holden Cruze components are made in Australia, including major body parts and plastics. Local content is approaching 50 per cent and Holden is working at ways of further increasing this.

Interestingly, the Cruze is built in the factory that once produced the Holden Monaro, though so many upgrades have been made it's almost totally new inside.

As well as building the Cruze Series II in Australia, Holden has done a lot of design work on it.

Holden invited engineers from overseas design teams of the same platform to this country so they could appreciate Australian drivers' desires in suspension characteristics, as well as the harsh road conditions that apply in many country areas.

Alterations aren't just there to give the Cruze a new look, they also improve the flow of air off the back off the Cruze as

part of the fuel reduction program.

Model choice are Cruze CD, Cruze CDX and a new sporty version tagged Holden Cruze SRI.

The big news is the launch of an all-new 1.4-litre turbo-petrol engine that we feel will be the most popular of all the powerplants. We say that after an extended test drive of all the engine options during the launch of the Cruze Series II that was organised by Holden out of Melbourne. It took us onto some of Australia's best roads, encompassing the stunning Great Ocean Road and into the hills behind it.

Fuel consumption of just 6.4 litres per hundred kilometres on the combined cycle is exceptionally low for a petrol car of this size.

The existing Holden Cruze 1.8-litre petrol engine has been significantly modified and a new design of 2.0-litre turbo-diesel has been introduced.

Handling is precise, with good turn in and plenty of road grip and the ability to change direction without fuss if asked to do so part way through a corner. As is often the way in current model cars, the Holden Cruze has wide windscreen pillars that can create visibility problems.

Holden has to be congratulated on the introduction of a four-cylinder model to its Australian-built lineup.

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HOLDEN, Caprice, 1997, V8, series 2, VGC, reg. expires 02/12, QSI-125. \$5,000 with RWC or \$4,500 without. 0407 511 841. Hamlyn Heights.

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HOLDEN, Commodore, VR, sedan, executive model, dual fuel, excellent body condition, white. NBU-599. \$2,500 ono. 0418 599 034. Highton.



HOLDEN, Commodore, VE, SS ute, 2009, 6 speed, 70,000kms, 6L, V8, tow bar, RWC, VGC. XCL-557. \$28,500. 0407 814 565.



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HOLDEN, Statesman, 05-06, black, low kms., EC, YNK-614. \$23,500. 0401 254 330. Bell Post Hill.

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HYUNDAI, Getz, 2007, manual, white, 64,000kms, 12 months reg., RWC, new tyres, alloy wheels, UXT-720. \$10,400 negotiable. 0402 732 942. Belmont.

KIA, Sportage, 4x4, 1998, extras, good rubber, dual fuel, RWC, GC, PFO-087. \$4,600. 5275-6479. Corio.

MAGNA, Verada, 1993, auto, AC, CC, alloys, electric, sports kit, needs new motor, FIY-213. \$1,800. 0430 078 170.

MAZDA, 929, 1986, 2 door coupe, sunroof, towbar, reconditioned motor, major service including timing belt, new battery and loads of extras done. WXP-687. No reg. or RWC, as is \$1,500 ono. 0431 230 344. Corio.

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TOYOTA, Camry, ALtise, 2005, 2.4lt, auto, low kms, sedan, full service history, RWC, many extras, TJJ-130. \$23,600ono. 0419 612 583.



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TOYOTA, Landcruiser Ute, HZJ-75, 6 cylinder, diesel, 1994, 312,000kms, PTO winch, towbar, VGC, service history, reg. until 10/11, RWC, PVR-403. \$12,500. 0400 051 188. Drysdale.

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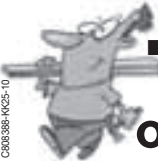
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GEELONG Football League kicks off its finals series this weekend at Skilled Stadium.

Saturday's qualifying final has South Barwon up against St Joseph's in what will be a classic game of football.

These two sides are extremely skillful and the big Skilled Stadium oval will give them plenty of room to show their wares.

Joey's beat the Swans a few weeks ago and will be confident it can do so again but South Barwon loves the finals and this ground in particular.

Expect South Barwon to win well. Sunday features Newtown and Colac clashing in the elimination final.

Newtown has had a very good year and is playing finals for the first time in four seasons, while Colac battled to make it to fifth spot.

Newtown's excellent all-round ability and few weaknesses will help it to

Local Footy



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a close victory.

BFL

Bellarine Football League action shifts to Drysdale Recreation Reserve this weekend for semi-finals.

Anglesea knocked Torquay out of the equation last weekend, leaving only four sides left in the race for the flag.

Saturday's second semi-final between Amateurs and Queenscliff sees the winner advance straight to the

grand final.

Ammos had last weekend off after finishing on top of the ladder and will appear fit and raring to go.

Queenscliff cruised through its qualifying final against Ocean Grove, indicating it is well and truly switched on and focussed.

Both sides have exceptional goal kicking power, with Ammos' Jason Tom already booting 100 goals for the season and the Coutas boasting the likes of Dylan Chaplin-Burch and Jayden Durran.

Queenscliff will just get over the line in a high-scoring match.

Sunday's first semi-final will be the end of the season for either Ocean Grove or Anglesea, with no second chance for the loser.

This will be a desperate affair, with Ocean Grove set to atone for last week's disappointment.

GDFL

Geelong and District Football League's season has only two games left, with Saturday's preliminary final between East Geelong and Inverleigh deciding who will go on to play Bell Post Hill in the grand final.

Inverleigh has made a great impression in its first two finals, with its blend of young running players and solid key position men serving it well.

David Peel, Dean Muir and Clayton Trotter have the skills and know how to slot the ball down Jon Ansell or Matthew Carr in the forward line, while Brent Ling marshals a tight back line.

East looks the better side but Inverleigh is on a roll and will be hard to stop. If the Hawks get a sniff they will rise to the challenge but it will be East who lead all the way.

Trollers dive deep for big snapper around the bay

On the bite



BRIAN LONG

FEW ANGLERS have taken to trolling for snapper. Those who have were rewarded with awesome captures over the past two weeks.

Paul Sterling landed plenty of small fish while trolling the edge of the channel from Point Henry to Wilson Spit but three fish over 4kg each in the past week demonstrated the rewards of this method.

Byron Lee took similar snapper while trolling the inner-harbour directly out from the silos piers.

Three lures seem to be bringing success: Koolie Minnows, Rapala Tail Dancers and Dr Evil, all of which can be used over 9 metres, more than adequate for many parts of the bay.

Soft plastic anglers started to see quality fish show on the spoil grounds off Hermsley and Leopold. While not in big numbers, the better fish were close to 4.5kg.

Four-inch Gulp minnows and Squidgy flick baits were hard to go past.

Damian Knowles fished bait where Wilson Spit intersects the channel for a great snapper of 8.3kg and another fish of 3kg, both caught on fresh pilchards.

Squid seemed to be all along the peninsula over the past week, with the best captures from the grass beds in under 2m. Small jigs in a variety of colours did the damage.

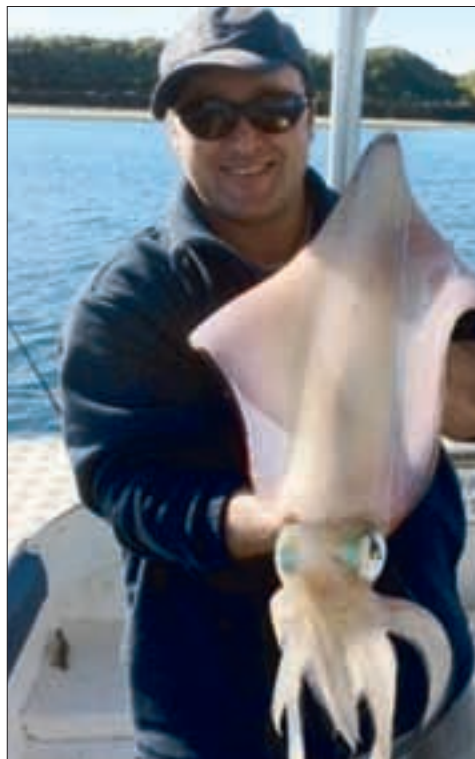
Danny Forth fished for squid at the mouth of Swan Bay where he had no trouble landing his bag limit. He then tried bait fishing later in the day in the same area, catching 16 whiting around 35cm and a magnificent flathead of 2.1kg.

Dolphins herded salmon close to Point Wilson Pier, with Troy Faith one of the many anglers lucky enough to get into the action. Troy landed over 20 big salmon on a variety of lures.

Salmon were also found hard up against Alcoa Pier. While not as large as elsewhere, most averaged 900g and provided plenty of fun as they worked the surface chasing small garfish.

Dean Moore fished just off the mouth of the grammar school lagoon with a liberal berley trail to find plenty of garfish along with mullet and small salmon.

A variety of species were taken among the boat moorings near Royal Geelong Yacht Club. Small



Monster: Tom Biviano with a squid from the Lonsdale Bite.

snapper dominated but quality salmon, trevally and trevalla were also taken, with Turtleback worms best lure.

Frank Chee fished Fishermen's Pier for a few nice

pinkie snapper, losing some around the boat moorings but finishing with two 45cm each on chicken baits.

Corey Gallagher hit the Barwon River estuary for the second weekend in a row to find plenty of salmon as well as a few great silver trevally on soft plastics.

I fished the surf with lures again, finding the salmon willing to bite in marginal conditions at Eastern View. Most were under 1kg but my haul of 30-plus fish caught and released made for enjoyable angling.

In freshwater, Lake Tooliorook was clearly the hot destination. Rainbow trout between 900g and 1.4kg were taken by all methods.

Bait anglers should try Powerbait, fly anglers should use Woolly Buggers and lure fanatics can't go Oar Gee Lil Rippers.

Deep Lake was discoloured but worth fishing for rainbows averaging just 1kg, with Powerbait and lures both working.

Henry McMahon continued hammering Lake Bullen Merri, landing three brown trout over 4kg each in the past fortnight. Henry's fish took local gudgeon fished on the bottom.

The average top catch at Bullen Merri has been closer to 1.8kg.

Lake Elingamite rewarded anglers in small vessels with some outstanding captures, including redfin over 1kg and trout from 1.5kg and 2.5kg. Lures have been best.

North Geelong's Seagull Paddock produced some big carp. Most were better than 1kg but some nudged over 4kg, with corn and bread ideal baits.

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